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Claims

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1. An anchoring apparatus for attachment to a safety device and to an anchor bolt,

comprising:

a flexible connector member having,

an end, and

a loop defining an aperture configured to receive and retain the anchor

bolt, the loop configured with a twist; and

a fastener disposed to secure the end to the connector member and retain the twist

in the loop.

2. The anchoring apparatus of claim 1 wherein the connecting member comprises a fabric material.

3. The anchoring apparatus of claim 1 wherein the fastener comprises stitches.

4. The anchoring apparatus of claim 1 wherein the loop is configured with a plurality of twists, the fastener disposed to secure the end and retain the twists in the loop.

1 5. A method for making an anchoring apparatus for attachment to a safety device
2 and to an anchor bolt, the method comprising:
3 providing a flexible connector member having an end;
4 forming a loop in the connector member;
5 forming a twist in the loop; and
6 securing the end to the connector member to retain the twist in the loop and to
7 define an aperture to receive and retain the anchor bolt.

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9 6. The method for making an anchoring apparatus of claim 5, further comprising
10 forming a plurality of twists in the loop, and wherein the step of securing the end further
11 includes retaining the twists in the loop.

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13 7. The method for making an anchoring apparatus of claim 5, wherein the
14 connector member comprises a fabric material.

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16 8. The method for making an anchoring apparatus of claim 5, wherein securing
17 the end comprises stitching the end to the connector member.

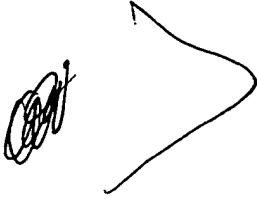
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- 1 9. An anchoring apparatus for attachment to a safety device and to an anchor bolt,
2 comprising:
3 a flexible connector member having,
4 an end,
5 a loop defining an aperture configured to receive and retain the anchor
6 bolt, and
7 a knot disposed proximate to the loop and the end, the knot further
8 defining the aperture; and
9 a fastener disposed to secure the end to the connector member.
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11 10. The anchoring apparatus of claim 9 wherein the connecting member
12 comprises a fabric material.
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14 11. The anchoring apparatus of claim 9 wherein the fastener comprises stitches.
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16 12. The anchoring apparatus of claim 9 wherein the loop is configured with a
17 twist, the fastener disposed to retain the twist in the loop.
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19 13. The anchoring apparatus of claim 9 wherein the fastener is disposed to retain
20 ~~the position of the knot.~~
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14. The anchoring apparatus of claim 9 wherein the knot is configured as a slip

knot.



- 1 15. A method for making an anchoring apparatus for attachment to a safety
2 device and to an anchor bolt, the method comprising:
3 providing a flexible connector member having an end;
4 forming a loop in the connector member, the loop defining an aperture to receive
5 and retain the anchor bolt;
6 forming a knot in the connector member proximate to the loop, the knot further
7 defining the aperture; and
8 securing the end to the connector member to retain the position of the loop.
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10 16. The method for making an anchoring apparatus of claim 15, further
11 comprising forming a twist in the loop, and wherein the step of securing the end further
12 includes retaining the twist in the loop.
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14 17. The method for making an anchoring apparatus of claim 15, wherein the
15 connector member comprises a fabric material.
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17 18. The method for making an anchoring apparatus of claim 15, wherein securing
18 the end comprises stitching the end to the connector member.
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